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# IRISIS 1947



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PUEBLO, COLORADO

Every Iris Is

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To Be True To Name

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Descriptive terms.

(As used herein)

S - STANDARDS. The three upright petals.

- FALLS. The three lower petals. HAFT - All of the middle portion of the flower, including the upper (About one-fourth) part of the falls.

CENTER - The middle portion of the flower, including, and ex-tending beyond, the haft area into the petals, especially into the standards.

SELF - Standards and falls the same color.
BLEND - Several colors, one of which is yellow, blended together giving the appearance of one color (a self) when viewed from a distance.

BICOLOR - Literally, two colors. Standards one color, falls

another color.
BITONE - S. one shade, F. another shade of the same color.

PLICATA - A white or yellow ground color, dotted, mottled or stitched with a contrasting darker color.

VARIEGATA - A bicolor having yellow, or near yellow, S. and

red, or near red, falls.

DYKES MEDAL - The hightest award any Iris can receive. They are awarded by the English, the French and the American Iris Societies respectively, to one Iris each year. Where mentioned in this list the Medal was awarded by

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ACTION FRONT (Cook 1942) Bitone in coppery reds. S. ocher-red, F. garnet-brown. Beard yellow. Massive, broad petalled flowers. 36". - 3. ADVENTURE (Grant 1941) 3.50 Plicata. Large, well formed flowers, soft yellow delicately marked rosy-brown. 1.75
ALASTER (Spinder 1940) Cyclamin-pink with gold at the center, hazel-brown at the haft and a heavy, bright orange beard. We think of it, not so much as a blend but more as a contrasting splash of colors. 38 in. 1.25 AMIGO (Williamson 1934)
Amigo, "friend", and one we are always happy to see again. S. clear, blue-lavender. F. velvety, pansy-purple edged blue-white. A gem. 28". - .90 ANCHORAGE (Grant 1940) Clear, wild-strawberry shad-ing to garnet at bottom of F. A lovely blend. 36". - .75 ANGELUS (Egelberg 1937) Beautiful bluish-silvery, mallow-pink blend. One of the best in this "pink" color class. 36 in. ANITRA (H.Sass 1936) .50 Self. A pearl-like sky-blue with pinkish tints shining through. A beautiful flower sparkling with a silvery, silken sheen. 36 in. APRICOT (Kleinsorge 1938) Rose, buff and yellow in a smooth, solid blend of soft, clear apricot. 36".

ARAB CHIEF (Whiting 1944)
This one grew well but did not bloom for us last year. Is said to be good. Flashy burnt-orange in color. ARCTIC (Kleinsorge 1940) A beautiful flower and an excellent all-round Iris. A tall, smooth, pure white shading into a center of clear, deep yellow. ARETHUSA (Gage 1940)
Large flowers of unusual .90 coloring. Daphne-red blending to a golden-bronze at the haft. Its tall stalks and odd color make an outstanding clump of color. AT DAWNING (Kirkland 1935) .90 Bitone, almost a bicolor. S. arbutus, or dawn-pink. F. A much deeper, rosier pink with center flushed yellow. Good grower. 35". AUBANEL (Cayeau 1935) One of the best to come from France. A splendid large, tall blend of shrimppink and heliotrope with soft, yellow overtones at the center. It's late, and makes a spot of refreshing beauty at the end of the blooming season. 40 in. AZTEC COPPER (Klein, 1939) A fascinating, darker toned blend of deep, rich violets and soft, delicate coppers. Large flowers, tall stalks and a nice flower. 36 in. 1.25
AZTEC GLORY (Horton 1941)
Reds, browns and yellows blended into bright tones of burnished coppers.36" AZURE SKIES (Pattison 1943) Self. Soft, azure-blue with a white beard. Beautifully ruffled flowers, domed S. and widely flaring F. May well be the most lovely light blue to date. 34". BARRIMOHR (Miller 1944) Onco-bred. (Wm.Mohr X Adoba) A huge, finished flower in mulberry-purple tones. Here, as in Elmohr, we have Onco

breeding at its best.

BERKELEY GOLD (Salbach 1942) One of the finest deep yellows. Its low introductory price (\$5.00) was certainly quite "out of line" with its excellence. - 3.50 BERTHA GERSDORFF (J.Sass 1942) S. yellow flushed pink. F. yellow heavily flushed pinkish purple. It might be classed as a blended-bitone. It's unusual anyway. 36". 3.00 BLACK AND GOLD (Klein. 1943) S. deep, chrome yellow. F. blackish maroon. An extreme contrast in variegata coloring. 35 in. - - 7 BLACK FOREST (Schreiner 1945)
A new-comer, to our garden,
we are eager to see. - 15.00 BLUE RHYTHM (Whiting 1945) A tall, new cornflower-blue with a silvery overtone. 15.00 BLUE SHIMMER (J.Sass 1942) Soft, clean and lovely is this blue marked, white grounded plicata. 36 in. 6.25 BLUE SPIRE (Milliken 1938) Large, smooth flowers of sparkling light blue on tall, stately stalks. .75 BLUE ZENITH (Whiting 1942)

Beautiful, lightly ruffled
flowers of deep sky-blue.

Good grower. 40" stalks. 2.25

BRIGHT MELODY (Snyder 1942) A lovely Iris of excellent finish and unique coloring. Rich, concord-grape with a metalic sheen shading to chestnut at the haft. - 4.00 BROWN BOY (Salbach 1940)
Bitone. Two shades of clean
rich brown. Medium tall. A nice Iris at a low price, in a color class that seems to run rather expensive.32" - .75 BROWN MONARCH (Covert 1939)
A tall, robust Iris in reddish browns. S. a tobaccobrown. F. a mahogany-brown, with heavy orange beard. BROWN THRASHER (Kirk. 1941)
A good grower, and we admit
that the color is different. We don't like it but it seems that other people do, so we include it in this list. 5.00

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BRUNHILDE (Salbach 1934)
   Very deep violet-blue self,
   with an intensity of color that turns the bouquet, or
   garden picture, from the com-
   mon into the beautiful. - ..40
BUFFAWN (Andrews 1940)
   A lovely, full flower of a pecular blend of buff and
   fawn, with a tell-tale pink
   flush that suggests Sea
   Shell ancestry to us. 35".
BUTTERCUP LANE (Hall 1941)
   Charming, clear buttercup-
   yellow with ruffled petals.
   A splendid deep yellow for
   front of border. 28 in. - .85
CALIFORNIA GOLD (Mit. 1933)
Large, bright golden yellow
   self. Only a few, the very new, high priced yellows, can beat this one. 38 in.
CALIFORNIA PEACH (Salb. 1941)
  A blend of peach-pink and apricot shades. S. apricot-
  buff. F. salmon-apricot with just a touch of soft lavender at the center. A fine, tall, outstanding Iris. 2.
CAPTAIN WELLS (Cook 1941)
  A smooth, finished flower of rich, maroon-red purple.
  A shining, glossy texture
  gives its dark color an
  unusual brightness. 34".
CAROLINE BURR (K.Smith 1940)
Easily the largest and best
   light cream to date. "Cream" the color that mixes
  and blends and intensifies
  the other colors, and changes the garden picture from the
  ordinary to the outstanding. There's few gardens, indeed, that don't need more creams,
  whites and yellows. A good point to keep in mind.
CASA MORENA (Deforest 1943)
  Self. Large flower in deep, rich chestnut-brown tones.
  Outstanding in this new brown color class. 36".
                                         10.00
CEDAR ROSE (Whiting 1941)
  Described as a "Glowing red-
brown". We think it's name,
   Cedar-rose, gives a better
   idea of its color. 36".
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CHIEF POKING FIRE (Def. 1942)
  A wide petalled flower in.
  new tones of red. A darker coppery-red that's quite different. 36 in.
CHINA MAID (Milliken 1936)
   Yellow, copper, red and a
   flash of lilac all blended together into a splendid
   "pink". Its color, good
   form and tall stalk make it one of the best.
                                           .90
CHIPPEWA (Salbach 1943)
   Plicata. Brown over shades
   of yellow. S. lightly marked at the haft. F. heavily
   suffused and dotted. 32", 2.00
CHRISTABEL (Lapham 1936)
A "red" Iris with a coppery
tone that gives it an unusu-
ally high note of brilliance.
Nice flowers, 38" stalks. .60
CITY OF LINCOLN (H.Sass 1936)
Bicolor. Easily the most
  trilliant of the variegatas.
Bright, golden S. and rich,
bright red F. in bold flash-
ing contrasts of color. - .90
CLARET VELVET (Weed 1940)
   Blackish-red, wine color.
A glowing, velvety gem for
front or border. 28 in. 1
COPPER LUSTRE (Kirk. 1934)
   An odd blending of copper,
   gold and pinkish-tan into
   a lustrous coppery color won this one the Dykes
Medal for 1938. 38 in. - COPPER PINK (Kellogg 1941)
   A beautiful soft pink flush-
   ed with sparkling copper. The style-arms are blue, the
   beard orange-brown. Nicely
   finished flowers and an ex-
cellent all-round Iris. 2.50
COPPER ROSE (P.Cook 1941)
A lovely, smooth blend of
   rose, tan and copper with
   a flush of golden yellow
   at the center. Large, broad petalled flower. 35 in. 3.00
CORALIE (Ayers 1932)
   Bitone in soft, rose-pink.
   Dykes Medal for 1933. -
CRIMSON TIDE (Nic. 1939)
    Bitone. Excellent large
    flowered "red" with velvety, flaring falls. 36 in. - 1.25
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DAUNTLESS (Connell 1929) "The red" Iris of long		
ago. Dykes Medal 1929 DAYBREAK (Kleinsorge 1941)		.30
Golden, coppery-salmon, red and yellow all blended	i	
into the rosy-pinks of day Runner-up for 1945 Dykes	m	•
Medal, tied with Ola Kala for the 1946 Medal DEEP VELVET (Salbach 1939)	4	.00
A rich, striking flower of deep, blackish, red-purple		
shading to a claret-brown haft and a bronze beard.		
Good grower.Fragrant. 36" DISFLAY (Grant 1942)		•75
A very dark, very rich new "red". Described as spanis red shading to maroon.	h	-
DREAMLAND (Snyder 1945) Withdrawn for further		•00
observation.  DUBROVNIK (Wmsn. 1938)	X	·XX
A brilliant, rosy blend richly toned with gold. A flush of blue-violet on		
the falls make it even more lovely. 34 in		.60
DYMIA (Shuber 1936) Very deep blue-purple self		
Rich, smooth and lustrous with flaring falls and a		
blue beard. A bit better all-round than Brunhilde.		.30
EASTER BONNET (Maxwell 1944) A lovely, new, pink blend,		
with a margin of yellow a- round the petals. 40 in.		
FIMOHR (Loomis 1942)	9	.00
The color is a reddish- mulberry. The huge flower		
distinctive style and all-		
round excellence. Dykes Medal for 1945. 36 in ELSA SASS (H.Sass 1939)	1	.75
Beautifully clean, smooth combination of yellow and		
white. The yellow is a sof sulphur-yellow, The white	t	
patch on the falls is a clear, pure white. The ef-		
fect is a cool, refreshing shade among the yellows.		.75

FAIR ELAINE (Mitchel 1938) Bitone, almost a bicolor. S. Cream-white. F. golden-yellow.Beard, bright orange The name fits the flower very nicely. 36 in. FLAMELY (Cook 1942) An outstanding "red" flushed with orange-red tones that probably suggested its aptly descriptive name. 3.50 FLCRA CAMPBELL (Hill 1940) An excellent Iris in two shades of intense, warm red. It's realy red-brown and peach-red blended into a striking red bitone: 36" 1.00 FLORA ZENOR (J.Sass 1942) Coral, or, Sea Shell-pink.
Lovely in a clump and most interesting for breeding because of its color, tall stalk and vivid beard. FORTUNE (Kleinsorge 1941) A fine, tall yellow with beautifully formed flowers. Solid, uniform old-gold: 1.00
FROSTY BLUE (Wh.-Kell:1941)
Self. Clear, delicate shade
of light blue with a sparkling, frosty texture 38" 4.00 FULL MEASURE (Def. 1941) Splendid tall, deep yellow of remarkably long lasting flowers and long period of bloom. Good grower. GARDEN FLAME (H.Sass 1941) A rich, lustrous garnetred shading to deep rose and brown at the center. Large, full petalled flowers, clean haft and good stalks. A top notch new red. 34% 5.00 GARDEN GLORY (Whiting 1943) A self of rich bordeauxred with dark bronze beard, flaring falls and no haft markings. Not tall nor large

but a treat in color, form and finish. About 28". 10.00 GARDEN MAGIC (Grinter 1936)
Year after year this splendid vivid, velvety red holds its high place among the "reds". Increases a bit slowly and a high demand keeps our stock low. Order early. 36 in. .75

GAY SENORITA (Salbach 1944)
A big, tall Iris classed as a variegata, but it's an unusual one. S. a deep, honey-yellow. F.golden yellow overlaid deep brown with still deeper brown veinings. -GOLDEN EAGLE (Hall 1942) A very large, brilliant light yellow with satiny sheen and unusual purety of color. One of this breeder's best. 2.00 GOLDEN FLEECE (J.Sass 1940)
This Iris is neither a yellow self nor a blend, but a medley of gold, lemon-yellow and white. The S. are an exquisite tone of satiny lemonyellow. The yellow of the F. shading beautifully to white at the center and to gold at the edges. A masterpiece by a great breeder. 36 in. 2.50 GOLDEN MAJESTY (Salbach 1938) Excellent, all-round, deep golden yellow. A hard one to beat even among those that cost much more. -.90 GOLDEN SPIKE (Whiting 1940)
Lovely, large, full flowers
of deep, brilliant yellow
on tall, widely branched
stalks. A fine yellow. 1
GOLDEN TREASURE (Schr. 1936) A treasure indeed. Large flowers of light, creamyyellow that shade sharply into a vivid golden center and orange beard. 38". -GRACE MOHR (Jory 1935)
Onco-bred. A Wm.Mohr seedling that is most popular.
Very large flower of light lilac veined a darker lilac. Easy to grow. 40 in. GRAND CANYON (Klein. 1941) A mixture of gold, coppers and blackish reds combined into a dark, rich medley of colors that is most interesting and distinctly different. 36 in. stalks. - 1.75 GREAT LAKES (Cousins 1938) This beautiful medium-blue self won the Dykes Medal for 1942 because of its lovely flower and its dependable plant habits. 38 in. -1.25

GREEN SHADOWS (H.Sass 1943)
The new, and as far as we know the only, sulphuryellow self. 36 - 40". 12.50
GUDRUN (K. Dykes 1931)
A grand white for foreground planting. Massive flowers of warm white with yellow beard. Each stalk is a bouquet by itself. The breeder, Mrs. Katherine Dykes, was the widow of W.R. Dykes in whose honor the Dykes
Medal was founded. - .30

HARRIET THOREAU (Cook 1944)
An outstanding new Iris.
Its clearer, brighter, pinker coloring and splendid plant habits will put many of the older orchid-pinks into the list of the obsclete. - 7.00
HARVEST MOON (Whiting 1944)
A blend of bright, apricot.
Large flower, lovely color.
(We don't like its haft.) 3.00
HOOSIER SUNRISE (Lapham 1942)
A large, beautiful pink blend with tints of buff that give it a pinkish-buff color unusually clean and fresh. A very good all-round Iris. 3.00

IDANHA (Kleinsorge 1942)

A bicolor, in a distinctly different pattern. The S. an apricot-yellow, F. a pink blend. The garden effect, a pink-tan combination. Large flower, good grower. 38". 2.50

ILLUSION (Kleinsorge 1943)

As it blooms for us, this is one of the finest things in this list. Soft, delicate lilac-pink with an overlay of tawny brown at the haft. The form has that something that only Onco blood seems to impart. 36 to 38 inches here, blooms very late. 5.00

INDIANA NIGHT (Cook 1942)

A new, lustrous, velvety purple, rich and lovely.

A larger, bluer "Sable" by the same breeder. 36". 7.50

INDIANA SUNSET (Lapham 1943)

A bright, pretty blend of pink and apricot. 38".

INDIAN HILLS (Grant 1935) .... A beautifully vivid, pure purple self. One of those fine, older varieties that's hard to beat. 36 in. INTERMEZZO (Thompkins 1944) A large, ruffled self of petunia-violet with a flush of russet at the haft. -INVICTUS (Hall 1939)
A hint of orange makes this one an intensely vivid, very deep yellow. Amber markings at the haft add to its richness. Good grower. 36": 1.50 JAKE (Sass-Long 1943) There are many white Iris but few, indeed, are more satisfactory in flower, in performance and in price than this one. 36-8 in. KATHERINE FAY (Fay 1945) A large, ruffled new white with no yellow in the center. Ferfectly hardy 35 in 10.00 LADY MOHR (Salbach 1944) Lady Mohr - with the distinctive form and style of the onco-breds combined with the grace and charm of the feminine. S. oyster shell-white. F. chartreuse-yellow.36". Orchids to Mr. Salbach. 20.00 LANCASTER (Gook 1940) A broad petalled, massive flowered blend of deep pink to old-rose, striated with a soft brown that gives it added depth of color. 35". 1.75 LATE SUN (DeForest 1940) Deep, rich yellow with an odd overlay of red-gold and a bright orange beard. Large flowers. 38-40". LIGHTHOUSE (Salbach 1936) Bitone. A most outstanding Iris. Two tones of clear, rosy-reds shading into a brilliant golden center. A late bloomer that should be in every garden 36 in -LORI MAY (DeForest 1941) Very large smoothly colored flowers of daphne-pink with a touch of old-rose. 34". 2.00

LOS ANGELES (Mohr-Mit. 1927) Beautiful snowy white with delicate blue markings over the center only. Style arms blue, beard yellow. 36". .....25 LOUVOIS (Cayeau 1936).. Bitone. S. light chocolatebrown. F. very dark maroonbrown edged with the color. of the S. As lustrous as a lovely brown pansy. 35". .75 An orchid-pink but one that leans toward the cool, fresh tones of apple-blossom pink.
A lovely flower, a splendid plant. 36" (Stock scarce) 4.50 MAIDEN BLUSH (Hall 1943). Well formed, very large flowers of lucious apricot flushed with tones of pink Robust plant. 38 in. 3.00
MAJENICA (Cook 1941)
A splendid, clear, lively pink blend enriched by flush of salmon. A pleasing and brightly colored flower with broad petals, good form and lasting substance. Well branched 36" stalks. - 3 MARISHA (J.Sass 1939) A pink blend of a lighter, more creamy pink than most. Large, full flowers. Stunning with purples 35". 50
MARQUITA (Cayeux 1931) One of the very best to come from France. The color combination is both unique and delightful. The S. are lightest cream-white. F. the same but lined and veined watermelon red. The large flowers are smooth and lovely, with very heavy substance. No other Iris like it. 36". .40 MARY GEDDES (Stah.Wash.1931) Bitone. S. rosy, salmon-orange. F. darker, orangered. Dykes Medal 1937. -MASTER CHARLES (Wmsn. 1943) An outstanding Iris. The true purple S. and darker F. shading to lustrous, madderbrown at the haft and overlaid with a dark, velvety sheen. 38 in. stalks.

MATTERHORN (J.Sass 1938) It's like a piece of soft white satin. All agree it's one of the best whites, 1.25 MATULA (H.Sass 1939) Lovely, large fluted flowers of crimson orange and rosebuff, the falls blended into deeper, redder tones. Good grower, fine stalks. 34". MELANIE (Hill 1941) .60 A tall, orchid-pink that is deeper and richer than most and doesn't fade out. Large flowers, a big husky plant. 42 to 48" stalks. 1. MELITZA (Nesmith 1940)
A whitish coral, or, pale seashell-pink, the color effect being much intensified by a vivid tangerine beard. 36-8 in. stalks. 1
MEXICO (Kleinsorge 1943)
S. buff-gold. F. a velvety brown-red blended with, and bordered golden-buff. Large flowers, 38 in. Late. 5 MIDWEST GEM (H.Sass 1937) Beautiful blend of peachyapricot flushed pink. Large ruffled flowers that everyone goes back to see, over and over again. 34 in. -MING YELLOW (Glutzbeck 1938) A grand, large flowered me-dium-yellow self with smooth coloring, clean haft and a bright yellow beard. 38". 1.00
MINNIE COLQUITT (H.Sass 1942)
Plicata. Very large, slightly
ruffled, clean white flowers beautifully stitched with a sharply contrasting reddish wine-purple. A good grower and well branched. 35" 4.50 MIRABELLE (Whiting 1941) A delicately colored light, creamy-apricot with falls flushed pink. The flowers are large, of long eval form and well placed. The plant husky and the stalks 38" tall. 7 MISS BISHOP (J.Sass 1942) Classed as a white but not a self. A very distinctive flower in glistening white with a cool chrome-yellow center and beard. 38". 2.50

MISS CALIFORNIA (Salb. 1936)
Our visitors call it "That
lovely orchid-pink". A vigorous grower, it opens its
big flowers on stalks that are nearly 4 ft. tall. - MISSOURI (Grinter 1933) .40 The famous clear, deep blue with the flaring falls and enamel-like finish. Dykes Medal for 1936. 36 in. MISTY ROSE (Mitchell 1943) A blend of rose-pink flushed with brown below the beard. The whole flower seems covered with a dusty, or mist-like, film that produces a distinctly novel color effect. Large flowers, robust plant. 42". 3.50 MME.LOUIS AUREAU (Cay. 1934 Plicata. Large, smooth flowers of clear, silvery white heavily marked rosyheliotrope. 30 in. tall.

MME.M.LASSAILLY (Cay. 1935)
A larger, taller "Amigo" in somewhat lighter tones. S. .40 flax-blue, F. violet-blue edged lavender. 36 in. MOHRSON (White 1935) Onco-bred. Wm.Mohr seedling. Deep violet with darker vein-ings. Larger, darker, easier to grow than Wm.Mohr. 30" .60 MONADNOCK (Salback 1937) An excellent, tall, large flowered Iris in clear rose-red coloring. A late bloomer that brings to the garden an abundance of bright, new color at the end of the season. Good grower. 42". 1
MOONLIT SEA (J.Sass 1943)
A most unusual flower. The white ground color is so heavily covered and striated with indigo-blue that little white is indicated, while an empire-yellow haft adds to the confusion. The garden effect is dark blue and yellow. Good all-round plant .35". 2.50 MOROCCO ROSE (Loomis 1937)
Very close to true pink.
Its larger flower and better color set a new standard in its color class. Much used in breeding for Sea Shell pinks. Good grower, 36".

MOUNTAIN SKY (Milliken 1941) Beautiful, uniform soft blue with a suffusion of yellow over the center. The large, wavy petalled flowers are pleasingly fragrant. 36".

MOUNTAIN SNOW (Kellogg 1937)

Excellent, icy-white self. Large ruffled flowers with just a tinge of blue that gives it a delightfully crisp, icy, whiteness: -MULBERRY ROSE (Schr. 1941) ... A fine all-round Iris in a new deeper, redder shade of pink, or, as the name implies, a rosy mulberry. 40 in. 3.50 NIGHTFALL (Hall 1941) A bitone in dark purples. F. rich, very velvety pansy-purple, the S. a few shades lighter. A smooth, finished flower - good form, texture and a clean haft. 36 in. 2.25 N.J.THOMAS (Thomas Thor. 1944) An onco-bred and a nice one. The big, onco formed flowers are much brighter and bluen than Mohrson. Sets seed with no trouble at all. 26". NOONTIDE (Thole 1939) 3.00 A large, smoothly textured flower classed as a mediumyellow. It's really a taffy color with a heavy overlay of gold. Good grower. 36" .6

NUTBROWN MAID (Nesmith 1940) A most interesting Iris in unusual shades of brown. The domed S. an amber-brown, the flaring falls, coppery cameobrown. Tall, 38" stalks. 1.25
NYLON (Whiting 1940)
Delightful smoothly colored Delightful, smoothly colored flowers of light, buff-tan blended with a flush of rose, and brightened by a deep yellow beard. Large, well formed flowers, good grower. 36" .7! OLA KALA (J.Sass 1943) Beautiful, brilliant yellow with "excellent" branching. Tied with Daybreak for the

1946 Dykes Medal. It's fine, completely Ola KanLAH (O.K.)

with us here. 36 in.

OLD PARCHMENT (Klein, 1939) Old-ivory shaded to a deeper, richer tone by a flush of golden-tan. A lovely and novel color and a fine all-round plant. 36-38 in. - 1.
OLD ROSE (Salbach 1940) Tall and stately - lovely in form, beautiful in color. A deep, old-rose touched with cardinal at the haft. - 1.50 ORANGE FLAME (Salbach 1940) Outstanding in brilliance. S. burnished, golden-orange. Semi-flaring F. brilliant, coppery-red. Flowers of good size, stalks 30". OREGON SUNSHINE (Weed 1939)

Large, nicely ruffled flowers of soft, medium yellow. Excellent 38 in. stalks. OREGON TRAIL (Klein. 1943)
Big, bold flowers in shades
of blended brown and gold.
S. coffee-brown. F. deeper, with distinct red-brown area at the haft. 38". Late. 4.50 ORLOFF (J.Sass 1937) Plicata. Clear, light yellow ground heavily marked with a rich, red-brown. 33". ORMOHR (Kleinsorge 1937)
Onco-bred. Huge flowers of silvery-lilac veined violet. Few, if any, Wm. Mohr seedlings in this color class, except the great. "Elmohr" surpass this one: 38 in. .75 PACIFIC SUNSET (Salbach 1944) Old-rose S. bright amaranthpink F. shading into a golden center: 36 in stalks. 3. PATRICIA (H.Sass 1939)
Charming, pure white with petals all frilled and flut ted and lovely. 34 in. PERSIAN PRINCE (H.Sass 1941) S. bright yellow. F. smooth, rich brown-red Without border.Darker, more lustrous and a better grower than "City of Lincoln". 38".
PINK IMPERIAL (Weed 1939) An orchid-pink but lighter and pinker than most. Large flowers and probably the tallest of this color class. .90

PINK MARVEL (Lapham 1938)
A lovely, large flowered deep, salmon-pink. 38". 1.50
PINK REFLECTION (Cook 1942) Self. Closed S. widely flar-ing falls in a new shade of fresh, crisp, chamois skinpink. 36-38 in. Late. - 6.50 PIUTE (Thomas 1937) Self. A very popular "red" surpassed only by the newer, much higher priced ones. A wee bit smaller than "The Red Douglas" but equal in color and a better flower. . PRAIRIE SUNSET (H.Sass 1939)
This blend of apricot, gold, This blend of apricot, gold, rose etc. would be outstanding in any garden, anywhere. Dykes Medal for 1943. - 2.00 PRINCE OF ORANGE (Klein. 1940) Very bright golden-orange with widely flaring falls. Medium size flowers. 34" 1.50 PRISCILLA (Whiting 1942) Dainty, charming and all pure white including the beard. A perfectly beautiful flower for front of border and for cutting. 24 to 28 in. - 2.00 cutting. 24 to 28 in. RADIANT (Salbach 1936) Bitone. Two shades of vivid, brilliant orange-brown, entirely different from the dark, red-browns so familiar to all. Medium size, 24". RADIANT KNIGHT (Salbach 1942) S. clear, orange-brown. F. rich, coppery-orange. Taller and larger than its parent Radiant. Very late. 36". 3.50 RAEJEAN (Whiting 1939)
A reverse bitone. S. clear deep yellow. F. a lighter, creamy-yellow with a deep yellow border. 36".Late. RAMESES (H.Sass 1929) A large blend of golden-buff and lilac-pink. Dykes Medal for 1932. 36 in. -RANGER (Kleinsorge 1943) - .25 One of the very best of the newer "reds". Excellent in every way - fine, rich color, large flowers, good form and substance, good branching, and a robust plant. 36". 5.00

RED AMBER (Loomis 1942) More rose than red. S. rose-pink. F. a reddish-rose with undertones of glowing amber shining through. Large, richly colored, finished flowers and a vigorous plant. 38 in. 3.00 RED GLEAM (Lapham 1939)

A medley of crimson and chestnut reds. Well named, as ones
eye may catch its red gleams
from most any part of the garden. Medium size. 34" RED VALOR (Nicholls 1939) There are many so-called red Iris, at much higher prices, but this big, robust, rich garnet-red will be with us long after many of them are gone and forgotten. 40". 3.00 RED VELVET (Klein. 1939)

Excellent red in two rich velvety shades. S. vandyke-red. The darker falls, rich oxblood-red shading deeper at the edges. Large flowers, semi flaring falls and a good grower. 36-38 in. 1.

REDWARD (Cook 1942)

Not a great big flower nor 1.50 a great big plant but it is the reddest, the nearest to real crimson, of any we have seen to date. Nice flowers, good all-round plant. 30" 4.00 REMEMBRANCE (Hall 1942) Chosen by Mr. Hall as the best of his pink blends. It's a large, beautiful flower of light pink with a heavy overlay of yellow. 40". 4.0 RIDING HIGH (Lapham 1937) Excellent lilac-pink blend, 4.00 quite far over on the red side. The tall stalks carry the flaring flowers unusually high above the foliage.
Very aptly named. 38". - .5 .50 ROSY WINGS (Gage 1936)
A bitone in rose. The darker, flaring rose-red falls suggesting the name. Good bloomer. Dykes Medal 1939. ROYAL SCOT (Hall 1944) A most unusual plicata, its markings suggesting a Scotch plaid done in burgundyred. Stock limited. 5.00

RUBIENT (Whiting 1942) S. pansy-purple. F. blackish. red-purple with a striking border the same color as the S. Some call it the pansy colored "Amigo". 36 in. 3.0

RUTH POLLOCK (H.Sass 1939)

Many consider this to be the best of the Sass's yellow plicatas. It's marked a rosy-brown, the S. darker and a bit more heavily marked than the falls. Clearer and much brighter than "Tiffany" with a taller, better stalk. 1.50 SABLE (Cook 1938) Very dark, blackish purple so rich and lustrous it's almost in a class all by itself. It's all that a fine Iris should be, as luxurious as the name implies. 1.25 SAMOVAR (Hall 1941) Burnished copper overlaid Burnished copper every with rose. A clump makes a bright, brilliant splash of color. About 32 in. - 1.0 SAN FRANCISCO (Mohr 1927) The first Iris awarded the American Dykes Medal (1927) An excellent, big flowered blue-on-white plicata that is still hard to beat. -SANTA ROSA (Mit.-Salb. 1943).
Bitone, almost a bicolor, with pink S. and rose F. in a very pleasing combination. An almost super sized Iris with tall, 48 inch stalks and excellent substance. 4.00 SEA BLUE (Whiting 1941) A light blue self of clear, smooth coloring. Large flowers, vigorous plant. A very satisfactory blue. 36". 1.50 SHANNCPIN (Pillow 1939)
A showy and unusual color combination, close to the amoena type. The ruffled S. are cream, the falls a blend of pink and rose 38". 2.00 SHINING WATERS (Essig 1933) Beautiful, sparkling sky-blue self, as lovely as its name. If we could have but one blue Iris this would be that one. 36 in. -.30

SIERRA BLUE (Essig 1932)

Medium blue self. A stately
and distinctive Iris that
grows to nearly 50 in. tall
here. Dykes Medal 1936. SNOQUALMIE (Brehm 1938)
Rich cream self like rare old-ivory. Its smooth color and fine flower make it one of the best of the few good creams - the color most of us should plant more of. SNOW FLURRY (Rees 1939)
Remarkably pure, icy-white flowers beautifully frilled and flutted. Short branching but perfectly exquisite flowers on tall 40" stalks. - 1.75 SNOW KING (H.Sass 1935) A big, robust Iris. Massive white flowers with a bright yellow beard on tall, well branched, 40 in. stalks. SNOW VELVET (H.Sass 1942) A fine, large flowered white with a flush of gold at the center. Very heavy substance and an unusual velvety texture make this an outstand-ing white. 38 in. - - 3.50 SOLID MAHOGANY (J.Sass 1944) Another step foreward among the "reds". The name implies its color tone - deep, rich red with a mahogany under tone. (The Sasses call it a bronzy, red purple self. S.
victoria lake, F. velvety,
burnt lake) Large, smoothly
colored flowers, good form,
nicely branched 36" stalks.
A fine, new red.

SONNY BOY (Kirkland 1939)
A brilliant conners blond A brilliant coppery blend glowing with tints of gold and henna. About 34 in. SONG OF GOLD (Essig 1937) Clear, bright medium yellow.
Tall, large flowers, flaring
falls, fragrant and blooms
early. A very good yellow. .75 SOUTHERN PACIFIC (Taylor 1942) A near super-large flowered Iris of lavender-blue with a pinkish undertone. When well grown flowers may measure up to nine inches. Substance good, F. semi-flaring. 2.00

## Spanish Peaks

LOOMIS

1947

Large, beautifully finished, all-white flowers of pleasing form and excellent substance on tall, 38 inch stalks. \$25.00 each. ee introductory leaflet)

SPINDRIFT (Loomis 1944)
The only one of the famous SEA SHELL PINKS coming from the gardens of the originator that has been named and offered for sale. The color is coral, or, seashell-pink, with a blue flush at the top of the F. An unmatched color gem for the sandar gem for the garden, a thrill and a challenge to the breed-er. Good substance, a lovely flower, deep color and per-fectly hardy. 30 in. (See A.I.S. Bull.104, P. 8) - 6.00 SPRING CHIMES (Hall 1939)

A large flowered self in a striking new color that has been called "golden russet". A beautiful color tone, and

a robust plant. 38 in. 2.00 SPRING CLOUD (Jory 1935) One of the most charming and one of the most satisfactory one of the most satisfactory Trises we have to offer. S. pure, clean white very heavily marked and sanded blue. F. the same pure, clean white without markings. 36-8". .3
SPUN GOLD (Glutzbeck 1940)

The only yellow Iris to be awarded the Dykes Medal. A splendid, deep golden yellow with a velvety luster on the falls that makes a beautiful

Iris even more lovely. Good grower, 38". (D.M.1944) - 3.50 STARDOM (Hall 1941)
Few, if any, of the various efforts to describe this one do it justice. We'll simply describe it as a very lovely Iris in heautiful shades of golden-toned-brown, tinged somehow with pink. 36".

STORM KING (Nicholls 1940) An outstanding newcomer in the black-purple class, Our visitors call it "The big black one". Domed S. Widely flaring F. No haft markings and excellent substance. A slow increaser but it grows well. Late. 38" stalks. 4.00 SUNSET SERENADE (J.Sass 1943) A. Prairie Sunset seedling as remarkable as its parent. It comes in lighter, more golden color tones, with a golden color cones, taller stalk and better allegate habits. - 6.50 TAPESTRY ROSE (Hall 1942) A beautiful shade of soft, old-rose. Splendid all-round plant habits and delightful coloring in a color class that has no great amount of competition. 38 in. - 2.00 TEA ROSE (Whiting 1944) Close to a true pink self. A blend of deep coppery-pink that's about the last word in this color class. Outstand-ing in any company. 36". 7.00 THE ADMIRAL (Hall 1941) A dark blue self, somewhat deeper, richer and more intense than medium blue. An especially fine Iris not only in color but in all the qualities that make an line Iris good. 36-38 in [ ] - 1 1 THE GUARDSMAN (Grant 1939) Of striking and unusual coloring. S. a dusty pink, the F. deeper with a velvety mulberry overlay and edged same as the S. 36-38" 2.50 THE RED DOUGLAS (J.Sass 1937)

Long considered one of the best "reds". It's really a red-purple but far over on the red side. Its color, big flowers and robust growing habits won it the Dykes Medal for 1941. 36-38". - .9

THREE OAKS (Whiting 1943)

A vigorous and very large A vigorous and very large flowered blend of mallow-pink with an overlay of copperyrose and a splash of deep blue on the falls. 38". 6.00

THREE SISTERS (DeForest 1941) Classed as a variegata but it's one of very light coloring. S. light cream. F. clear bright red. Its tall stalks, bright color tones and many blooms make a highly conspicuous garden clump. -TIFFANY (H.Sass 1938) The standard of excellence in the yellow plicata class. Clear yellow ground marked so heavily with rosy-lilac the whole flower has a reddish cast. 34-36 in. TOBACCO ROAD (Klein. 1942) A bitone, almost a self, in rich, clear shades of golden tobacco-brown. Large, crisp flowers with upright S. and flaring F. and again we marvel at the color effects possible in Iris. 32". - 6.50 TREASURE ISLAND (Klein. 1937) Beautiful, large full formed flowers of soft, medium yellow. Many yellows come - some go - some stay on, and the longer one has this one the more he appreciates the all-round excellence of this lovely Iris. 36". VEISHEA (Whiting 1943) A blend of rosy-copper with a blue blaze at the haft. Large, full flowers on well branched stalks. 32-34". VELVET KING (Harned 1938) A splendid tall, robust Iris in two shades of rosy-red. The semi-flaning F. have a velvety, plush-like texture set off nicely by a heavy gold beard. 38 in. VIIPURI (Williamson 1940) A most charming Iris of the Wabash (amoena) type. S.ir-idescent white tinted crchid. F. violet purple shading to VIOLET SYMPHONY (K.Smith 1939) Truly a symphony in violet. Large, beautifully finished flowers of lustrous, gleaming violet enriched by a touch of bronze at the throat. A fine Iris worthy of its place among the best. 38 in. -

WABASH (Williamson 1937) Amoena. Good white-purple bicolors are, indeed, few and far between. The color combination is so striking and so distinctly different it's a "must have" for even the most modest garden. The S. are a pure, gleaming white. The F. flaring widely, are a bright pansy-purple with a sharply contrasting border of white. A good grower, 36-38 inch stalks. Dykes Medal 1940. WAKARUSA (Lapham 1941) A bicolor in bright orange and vivid reds that give a burnt-orange effect and make one of the most colorful spots in the garden. 34". 2.50
WEST POINT (Nicholls 1940)
A very fine, large flowered
bitone in rich shades of indigo-blue, the darker F.
touched with brown at the
haft. Good substance, nice
finish, blooms late. 36" 1.25
WILD ORCHID (Kellogg 1939) A self just matching the color "wild orchid" with flushes of coppery-violet at the haft, a yellow beard and flaring falls. 38 in. WILLIAM MOHR (Mohr-Mit. 1925)
Pogo Cyclus. The first of the famous "Mohr" Oncobreds.
Small plant, huge flowers .60 of light, gray-lilac veined dark violet. 18 to 30". - .25 WINTER CARNIVAL (Schr. 1941) Excellent, tall white with a golden throat and beard. Its smooth, clear color, big flowers and flaring form make it outstanding. 38". 2.00 WORTHINGTON (Cook 1943) Bitone, almost a bicolor in particularly clear, bright shades of rosy-reds. The S., persian-lilac, the F. velvety indian-lake. Excellent allround plant. 36-38 in. - 4.50 YELLOW JEWEL (K.Smith 1939)
Tall, well branched stalks
and large, full formed flowers. S. clear wax-yellow. F.

rich, lemon-chrome. A fine

all-round yellow. 36".

## THE "DYKES MEDAL" WINNERS

#### The :

"AMERICAN IRIS SOCIETY" has awarded the Dykes Medal to the following fifteen Irises.

SAN FRANCISCO	-	1927		* • 35
DAUNTLESS -	-	129	7	.30
RAMESES -		132	-	.25
CORALIE -	-	133	-	.30
SIERRA BLUE	-	135	= 1	· 425
MISSOURI -		136	-	.40
MARY GEDDES	_	137	4	.25
COPPER LUSTRE	-	138	- 1	•35
ROSY WINGS		1.39	-	.25
WABASH -	-	140		•75
THE RED DOUGLAS	3 .	141	→ . · ·	.90
GREAT LAKES	-	142		1.25
PRAIRIE SUNSET	-	143	-	3.00
SPUN GOLD -	4	144	-	3.50
ELMOHR -	-	145	-	1.75

#### NOTE.

Last year, the two varieties
DAYBREAK and CLA KALA
were tied for first place. As
two medals can not be awarded
in any one tear, none was
awarded for 1946.

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### THE MOHRS (Hybrids)

About 1920 Mr. William Mohr of Mt.Eden, Cali., succeeded in crossing the CNCCCYCLUS Iris Gatesii with the TALL BEARDED variety Farisiana, obtaining the POGOCYCLUS (hybrid) seedling introduced in 1925 as Wm. Mohr.Among the descendents of that plant the six below have received a variation of the "MOHR" name. (For Gatesii see A.I.S. Bull. # 69).

	Int	roduc	ed	,
WILLIAM MOHR		1925	-	.25
MCHRSON -		135		.60
GRACE MOHR	_	135		•90
ORMOHR -		137		•60
ELMOHR -		142		1.75
BARRIMOHR	-	144		7.50
LADY MOHR	-	. 144	\$ 1 <del>44</del>	17.50

IF YOU LIVE NEAR PUEBLO, OR BY CHANCE SHOULD COME OUR WAY MAY WE INVITE YOU TO VISIT US AND SEE THESE BEAUTIFUL IRIS.

OUR PEAK BLOOMING SEASON IS USUALLY ABOUT THE LAST WEEK IN MAY.

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#### HOW TO ORDER

INCLOSE CASH, CHECK OR
MONEY-ORDER WITH YOUR ORDER
IF YOU SEND CASH, PROTECT
YOURSELF BY HAVING YOUR LETTER
REGISTERED

PRINT, OR WRITE, YOUR NAME PLAINLY - - AND DON'T FORGET YOUR ADDRESS

THE IRIS WE WILL SEND YOU WILL BE CAREFULLY SELECTED BLOOMING SIZE RHIZOMES. GIVE THEM A CHANCE AND EVERY ONE SHOULD BLOOM FOR YOU THE FIRST YEAR

### ORDER EARLY

ALTHOUGH IRIS MAY BE PLANTED ANY TIME BEFORE THE GROUND FREEZES IN THE FALL, THE BEST TIME IS FROM ABOUT JULY 1st. TO THE END OF AUGUST - AND THE SCONER THE BETTER.

WE BEGIN SHIPPING IRIS ABOUT JULY 5th. AND CONTINUE UNTIL FALL. AT THE OUTSET, ORDERS ARE FILLED IN THE ORDER THEY WERE RECEIVED. AFTER WE ARE CAUGHT UP ALL ORDERS WILL BE SHIPPED PROMPTLY AS RECEIVED, OR, AT ANY LATER DATE YOU MAY WISH TO SPECIFY.

WE SUGGEST, THAT WHEN YOU SEND US YOUR ORDER YOU GET YOUR PLACE FOR PLANTING THEM BEADY.

PLACE FOR PLANTING THEM READY.

ALL STOCK IS FRESHLY DUG 
THEY SHOULD REACH YOU ALMOST AS
GREEN AND FRESH AS IF THEY WERE
DUG FROM YOUR OWN GARDEN - AND
THE SHORTER THE TIME THEY ARE
OUT OF THE GROUND THE BETTER
YOUR FIRST YEAR BLOOM WILL BT.

Here we are at Iris time again with all the excitement - the hurry and the hustle it always brings. The eagerly waited time is here when we are soon to see those thrill g new varieties we planted i t year, and again enjoy the old favorites we love so well. For us, who have been bitten by the Iris bug, each year brings a new thrill to be cherished and added to those of the years gone by. Through the years the hybridists have, indeed, rade much progress giving us each year something new in color - something better in all the things that make an Iris good. Our gardens continually reflect this progress that brings us new beauty, new steps toward perfection. That we may even more thoroughly enjoy our garden of today and even more keenly anticipate the wonders that will come tomorrow, let us recall some thrills of yesterday.

REMEMBER WHEN

you first bloomed that fabulous Sass trio, Midgard, Euphony and Clara Noyes? Remember Dorothy Dietz, Indian Chief, Freda Mohr, Dolly Madison, and Airy Dream? REMEMBER THESE, Go Imperial, Labor, Trostringe , Mrs. Marion Cran? O.K., let's get down to "brass tacks" and recall some real oldtimers. How about some of these? Mildred Presby, Bruno, Morning Splendor (That one was really something) Susan Bliss, Citronella, True Charm, Loreley, Ambassadeur, Lent Williamson, Asia, Seminole, Afterglow, Mme. Gaudichau, Dalila Archeveque, Sherwin-Wright, Lord of June, (That was a whopper) Alcazar, Nebilungin, Quaker Lady, Rhein Nixie, Mme. Cherau, Queen of May, Iris King, Kochii and for the end, or the beginning, as you wish, how could we ever forget that brilliant, blazing variegata, the venerable Honorabile.